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Order Filed on July 24, 2024  
by Clerk  
U.S. Bankruptcy Court  
District of New Jersey

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

In re:

Scott and Naoko Stearns,

Debtor(s).

Chapter 13

Case No. 20-14541

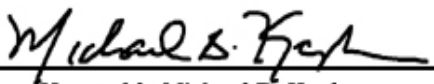
Hearing Date: July 24, 2024

Judge: Michael B. Kaplan

**ORDER GRANTING SUPPLEMENTAL CHAPTER 13 FEES**

The relief set forth on the following page is **ORDERED**.

**DATED: July 24, 2024**

  
Honorable Michael B. Kaplan  
United States Bankruptcy Judge

The applicant having certified that legal work supplemental to basic chapter 13 services has been rendered, and no objections having been raised, it is:

ORDERED that Justin Gillman, the applicant, is allowed a fee of \$ 6,653.50 for services rendered and expenses in the amount of \$ 100.00, less courtesy credit of \$1,253.50, for a total of \$ 5,500.00. The allowance is payable:

☒ \$ 5,500.00 through the Chapter 13 plan as an administrative priority.

☒ \$ 0 outside the plan.

The debtor's monthly plan is modified to require a payment of \$ 4,282.00 per month for 8 months beginning August 2024 to allow for payment of the above fee.

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In re:  
Scott D Stearns  
Naoko Stearns  
Debtors

Case No. 20-14541-MBK  
Chapter 13

## CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

District/off: 0312-3  
Date Rcvd: Jul 25, 2024

User: admin  
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Total Noticed: 1

The following symbols are used throughout this certificate:

Symbol	Definition
+	Addresses marked '+' were corrected by inserting the ZIP, adding the last four digits to complete the zip +4, or replacing an incorrect ZIP. USPS regulations require that automation-compatible mail display the correct ZIP.
#	Addresses marked '#' were identified by the USPS National Change of Address system as requiring an update. While the notice was still deliverable, the notice recipient was advised to update its address with the court immediately.

Notice by first class mail was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center on Jul 27, 2024:

Recip ID	Recipient Name and Address
db/jdb	#+ Scott D Stearns, Naoko Stearns, 408 NE 6th Street, Unit 413, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33304-6408

TOTAL: 1

Notice by electronic transmission was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center.  
Electronic transmission includes sending notices via email (Email/text and Email/PDF), and electronic data interchange (EDI).  
NONE

## BYPASSED RECIPIENTS

The following addresses were not sent this bankruptcy notice due to an undeliverable address, \*duplicate of an address listed above, \*P duplicate of a preferred address, or ## out of date forwarding orders with USPS.  
NONE

## NOTICE CERTIFICATION

I, Gustava Winters, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed .R. Bank. P.2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Jul 27, 2024

Signature: /s/Gustava Winters

## CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on July 25, 2024 at the address(es) listed below:

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Denise E. Carlon	on behalf of Creditor SWBC Mortgage Corporation dcarlon@kmlawgroup.com bkgroup@kmlawgroup.com
Frank J Martone	on behalf of Creditor PNC BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION bky@martonelaw.com

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Melissa N. Licker

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TOTAL: 9